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FOR BRUSSELS, PLEASE PASS ERDA OFFICE

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: TECH, FR

SUBJECT: FRENCH WESTINGHOUSE LICENSEE FRAMATONE
REQUESTS USG AGREEMENT TO ITS SALE OF NUCLEAR REACTOR
TO USSR

1. WESTINGHOUSE (PARIS OFFICE) OFFICIALS HAVE ADVISED
EMBASSY THAT WESTINGHOUSE (WASHINGTON) IS REQUESTING
THE USG BY LETTER TO ERDA FOR AN INDICATION OF NO-
OBJECTION TO THE SALE OF A BOILING WATER REACTOR TO
THE SOVIET UNION BY ITS LICENSEE IN FRANCE, FRAMATONE.
UNDER THE WESTINGHOUSE-FRAMATONE
LICENSING ARRANGEMENT, THE SALE TO CERTAIN THRID COUN-
TRIES OF A REACTOR BASED ON THE WESTINGHOUSE DESIGN
MUST RECEIVE PRIOR USG APPROVAL. FRAMATONE FORMALLY
ASKED WESTINGHOUSE TO REQUEST SUCH APPROVAL AND
WESTINGHOUSE (PARIS) HAS ADVISED THAT ITS WASHINGTON
OFFICE REQUESTED SUCH PERMISSION OF ERDA BY LETTER
DATED JULY 8 OR 9.

2. ACCORDING TO THE WESTINGHOUSE OFFICIALS, THIS SALE
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OF A NUCLEAR REACTOR WAS INCLUDED IN THE LARGE BUNDLE

OF SALES CONCLUDED BY P.M. JACQUES CHIRAC DURING HIS
VISIT TO MOSCOW MARCH 19-24, 1975. AFTER CHIRAC'S
VISIT, FRAMATONE WAS REQUESTED TO FOLLOW THROUGH ON THE
DEAL. FRAMATONE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS OF ITS
LICENSE FROM WESTINGHOUSE, ASKED WESTING-
HOUSE TO SEEK USG APPROVAL FOR THE SALE.

3. THE INTENDED REACTOR IS THE STANDARD FRAMATONE
UNIT, 900-1,000 MWE PRESSURIZED WATER DESIGN.
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